

Sandy Beach Public School

Fencing and CCTV works notification | 20 September 2024

Dear staff, parents, carers and neighbours,

We wish to advise that we will be installing a new security system and perimeter fence at Sandy Beach Public School.

The NSW Department of Education can fence off school properties as indicated in the [Inclosed Lands Protection Act 1901 \(ILP Act\)](#). Sandy Beach Public School is 'inclosed land' for the purposes of the ILP Act.

As part of this upgrade, permanent closed-circuit TV (CCTV) cameras will be installed above 3 new Electronic Access Controlled (EAC) pedestrian gates on Saye Close. The purpose of these cameras is to capture details of people entering and exiting the school grounds.

For more information on CCTV including how the department uses footage, privacy laws and record keeping, please visit the department's [CCTV – use of closed circuit cameras page](#).

This work is scheduled to begin in October 2024 and is expected to take up to 10 weeks. We will provide you with more details when work dates are confirmed.

Tree trimming and tree removal

In preparation for the new fence installation, we will be removing 3 paperbark trees, 2 melaleuca trees and trimming other trees as required.

Removal of the paperbark trees is subject to compensation planting which means we will plant new trees in another location to replace the ones removed. This will be done after the fence installation work.

Community feedback

If you have any feedback about the planned work, please contact us on 1300 482 651 or schoolinfrastructure@det.nsw.edu.au by Friday 11 October 2024.

Please note our community phone and email are staffed from Monday to Friday between 9 am and 5 pm.

Following consideration of all feedback received, we will schedule work and notify the community.

We appreciate there may be some inconvenience caused by these changes. We understand the importance of maintaining positive relationships with our neighbours and seek to balance that with the safety and wellbeing of the school and local community.

Thank you for your cooperation during this important work.

